

# **Racial Profiling Comparative Analysis for 2014**

## **Tier 2 Reporting**

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Total number of vehicle stops or contacts: 984

Of the total number of stops (984), 267 could be classified as racial or ethnic minorities. This amounts to approximately 27% of the total number of contacts. This overall percentage is based on having identified those classes of ethnic or racial minorities within the number of vehicle stops.

Comparative Analysis: A comparative analysis was based on the most recent 2010 census for the city of Blanco, population 1,739 with 1,106 Caucasian, 422 Hispanic, 25 Asian, 10 Native American, 4 African American, and 172 Other or Mixed Race. Those identified as minorities during stops by the Blanco Police Department include 39 African Americans, 15 Asian Americans, and 5 other, (approximately 6% of all stops) and 208 Hispanic Americans or 21% of all stops. All others (717) were Caucasian Americans, or 73% of all stops.

Disposition of stops: Disposition of stops made by officers includes the issuance of citation for violations totaling 632. There were 23 vehicle searches conducted as a result of vehicle stops and 32 arrests resulting from the stops or searches.

No racial profiling complaints were received by the Blanco Police Department for the 2014 reporting period.

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